



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

05-079

Date: Wednesday, February 23, 2005
District: 08 – San Bernardino & Riverside Counties
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WHAT: ROAD CLOSURE UPDATE

WHEN: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2005 (1530)

WHERE: SAN BERNARDINO AND RIVERSIDE COUNTIES

The following is an update of current road conditions due to storms in Riverside and San Bernardino counties. **All closures and openings are weather permitting.**

SR-138 EAST OF I-15 OPEN

**ESCORTS SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE ON STATE ROUTE 138
FROM JCT 18/138 TO CREST FOREST DRIVE (CRESTLINE)**

COMMUNITY MEETING SCHEDULE:

Monday February 28, 2005 at Lake Arrowhead Resort in Lake Arrowhead – 7-8:30 p.m.

Tuesday March 1, 2005 at San Moritz Lodge in Lake Gregory – 7-8:30 p.m.

Running Springs meeting being scheduled – will notify when date confirmed.

HIGHWAY ➤ Indicates recent change	STATUS	REASON	DURATION
➤ SR-83 from SR-71 to Pine Avenue ➤ SR-78 at Imperial Co Line/Riv Co Line	CLOSED	Flooding	Until water subsides.
SR-138 from Junction 18/138 to Crest Forest Drive (Crestline) <u>ESCORTS SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE</u>	CLOSED	SLIDES	SR-138 closed through end of March 2005 <u>(Weather permitting)</u>
SR-18 from Lower Waterman Canyon to Junction 18/138 <u>Only residents permitted.</u>	CLOSED	SLIDES	Closed until rain subsides.
SR-18 from <u>Junction 18/138</u> to Crest Forest Drive (The Narrows)	CLOSED	Slides	Spring 2005
SR-18 from Lake Gregory Drive (Crestline) to Pine Ave. (Rim Forest)	CLOSED	Slides	Spring 2005

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SR-173 from SR-138 to Arrowhead Lake Rd.	CLOSED	Flooding	Until water subsides.
SR-173 from Arrowhead Lake Road to Arbon Lane	CLOSED	Flooding	Unknown Duration
SR-142 from Valencia Avenue to Olinda Village (Orange County) Open to residents only. For more info call Dist 12 at (949) 724-2000	CLOSED	Flooding	Until water subsides.
SR-2 Big Pines to Vincent Gap	CLOSED	Slides	Unknown Duration
SR-2 Vincent Gap to ISLIP Saddle	CLOSED	Winter Closure	End of Winter 2005

A number of alternate routes are open for travel between San Bernardino Mountain communities. Please refer to the table below:

CURRENT ROUTES OPEN TO MOTORISTS

ROUTE/COMMUNITY	AVAILABLE ROUTE
SR-330 from Highland Ave. to Big Bear	OPEN Expect nighttime construction delays and flagging.
SR-38	OPEN
SR-18 from Snow Valley to Big Bear Dam (Arctic Circle)	OPEN
SR-18 from Big Bear to Lucerne Valley (Delta Way to Arctic Canyon Wash)	OPEN
SR-138 I-15 to Old Mill Road	OPEN
SR-195 (Avenue 66) at Pierce Speeds reduced to 45 MPH in the construction zone.	OPEN Repair continues- please observe reduced speeds.

BE PREPARED! BRING TIRE CHAINS WITH YOU TO THE SAN BERNARDINO MOUNTAINS.

Due to storm damage, pothole repair is taking place on various state highways. Please be advised that lane closures are imminent and may cause minor delays. Interstate 15 from Mountain Center to Nevada State Line and the Cajon Pass has pothole repair in process. Plan your trip and drive with caution!

This information will be updated when new information is available. Please drive with caution and check road conditions before you travel. For information please go to our Web site at www.dot.ca.gov/dist8 and view commuter alerts or call our Public Affairs Office at (909) 383-4631.

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